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In re application of: Ye  
Serial No.: 09/640,284 Group: Art Unit 2672  
Filed: August 16, 2000 Examiner: Amini, Javid A.  
For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMMUNICATIONS AMONG EMBEDDED DEVICES  
USING VISUAL IMAGES**

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [ ] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [ ] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL	22* MINUS 22**	= 0	X 25 \$	X 50 \$	.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			X 180 \$	X 360 \$	0
			TOTAL	OR TOTAL	\$ .00

ADDIT. FEE \$ .00

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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT(S): Ye DOCKET: YOR92000014US1 (8728-378)  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 U.S.C. §1.116**

Examiner:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed December 13, 2005. Please consider the following remarks.

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